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REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application No.	10/007,007
Filing Date	December 4, 2001
First Named Inventor	William R. Wheeler
Art Unit	2123
Examiner Name	Russell L. Guill
Attorney Docket Number	42390P12890

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

   a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

      i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ____

      ii. ☐ Other _____

   b. ☒ Enclosed
      i. ☒ Amendment/Reply   iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
      ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)   ☐
                                  iv. Other _____

2. **Miscellaneous**

   a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

   b. ☐ Other _____

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

   a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

      i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) and any additional claims fee(s)

      ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

      iii. ☐ Other: ($.00) _____

   b. ☒ Check in the amount of $790.00 enclosed

   c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosd)

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

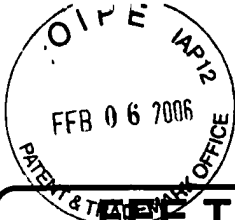| Name (Print/Type)	Gregory D. Caldwell	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	39,926
Signature		Date	February 3, 2006

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FEE TRANSMITTAL
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	($)	1,190.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT *(check all that apply)*

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____

☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 02-2666 Deposit Account Name: Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.18 and 1.20.

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

☐ Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION

1. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

			Extra Claims	Fee from below		Fee Paid
Total Claims	37	- 29* =	8	x	50.00 =	$400.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3* =	0	x	200.00 =	$0.00
Multiple Dependent					=	

Large Entity		Small Entity		
Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Description
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	790	2204	395	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	300	2205	150	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see below

SUBTOTAL (1)	($)	400.00

2. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity			Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Description	
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
2053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1460	130	2460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
1809	790	1809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
Other fee (specify)		Request for Continued Examination_____			790.00

SUBTOTAL (2)	($)	790.00

SUBMITTED BY

			Complete (if applicable)				
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